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11. (SBU) On February 15 A/DCM and A/Pol/Econ Chief delivered reftel points to Sergey Sergeyev, Head of the MFA's North America Department, and Counselor Ilona Yurevich. Sergeyev offered no substantive reply.

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12. (SBU) Post fully expects official Minsk to join Moscow and Belgrade in opposition to any Kosovo declaration of independence.  
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